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ASSISTING LASER MATERIAL  
PROCESSING

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Sir:

In response to the Final Office Action dated April 4, 2006, and in conjunction with the Request for Continued Examiner filed concurrently herewith, please amend the above-identified application as follows:

**Amendments to the Claims** are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 2 of this paper.

**Remarks** begin on page 4 of this paper.